

## TRADENITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner:

Kevin E. Weddington

Art Unit: 1614

Re:

Application of:

Philip J. Palermo, et al.

Serial No.:

10/665,735

Filed:

September 18, 2003

For:

A METHOD OF PREVENTING ABUSE OF

**OPIOID DOSAGE FORMS** 

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

November 1, 2004

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 30, 2004 for one (1) month from September 30, 2004 to November 1, 2004 (October 30<sup>th</sup> fell on Saturday).

A check in the amount of \$110.00 is enclosed to cover the fee for the one month extension of time. If it is determined that any additional fees are due or that any fees have been overpaid, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge said fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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